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To: S/S - Mr. Tarnoff

From: IO - Richard L. McCall RLM

Items for Transition Paper

Category I

Arab/Israeli Conflict.

In order to continue the Camp David peace process and protect Israel's position in international organizations, we need to reiterate our policy on:

the autonomy negotiations, including Resolution 242;
Jerusalem;
the occupied territories, including the Golan Heights.

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Category II

Global Negotiations

Current informal discussion on the procedure and agenda for a new round of Global Negotiations on North/South economic issues will give way to formal negotiations on November 17. If agreement can be reached on procedures that protect the specialized agencies and an agenda that is neutral [redacted] the U.S. will join others in agreeing to launch Global Negotiations early next year. However, the outcome of the preparatory negotiations is problematic.

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WHO Infant Formula Marketing Code

The World Health Organization is developing a code of marketing practices for infant formula. In early January 1981, the WHO Executive Board will review a draft of the code and make recommendations to the World Health Assembly, which will adopt the code in May 1981. This is a very controversial item.

Appointment of U.S. Representative to the UN Commission on Human Rights

The next regular session of the Commission on Human Rights is scheduled to meet in Geneva February 2 - March 13, 1981. Since the opening date of the Commission will occur less than two weeks after the inauguration of President Reagan, the President will need to appoint a United States Representative as soon as possible after January 20.

Middle East

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Iran/Iraq

The Security Council will continue to search for an effective peacemaking formula. We should continue to press the Council in this direction.

Category III

Global 2000 Report Follow-up

Thirteen interagency task forces are now preparing recommendations (due November 7) for inclusion in a Presidential Action Memorandum to be prepared by CEQ on follow-up programs to the US Government's Global 2000 Report. CEQ is proceeding apace with the project which is to be completed by the end of this year. The final product will now likely take the form of a public document to be issued before Mr. Carter leaves office.

IFAD Replenishment

Negotiations are currently in progress to replenish IFAD capital base. We support a $1.35 billion replenishment [redacted] B1, A5 [redacted] working closely with other industrialized donor countries, we hope--probably over optimistically--to wrap up the replenishment negotiations by the end of the year. In any event, we will have to seek Congressional authorization and appropriation of the U.S. contribution under the new Administration.

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